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Ms. Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20065

*Re: In the Matter of Communications Assistance for Law Enforcement Act and  
Broadband Access and Services, ET Doc. No. 04-295/RM-10865*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, 15 December 2005, on behalf of the Information Technology Industry Council (ITI), Nick Kolovos of ITI, Joby Fortson of Apple, Inc., S. Roberts Carter of this firm, and undersigned counsel met with Michelle Carey, Legal Advisor to Chairman Martin, in connection with the above-noted proceeding.

During this meeting, we suggested that the Commission should use the opportunity presented by the Second Report & Order to reaffirm its conclusion that CALEA obligations do not apply to private broadband networks, such as those maintained by corporations and universities. We also urged the Commission to reset the compliance clock for CALEA obligations, so that the mandated deadline would not begin to run until the Second Report & Order is formally issued. In addition, we noted that the current deadline – however calculated – was so short that the deadline, not the market, would determine CALEA solutions since robust CALEA solutions currently being developed would be excluded from the market. Thus, we suggested that Second Report & Order make clear that providers will be permitted (without penalty) to adopt newer, more robust CALEA solutions even if they cannot be implemented within the current deadline.

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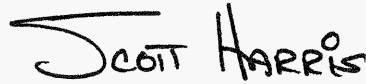
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Please direct any questions regarding this notification to me.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "SCOTT HARRIS". The signature is written in a cursive style with capital letters.

Scott Blake Harris

cc: Michelle Carey